The question being on the adoption of the motion,

Mr. Chambers demanded the yeas and nays;

The demand being sustained,

The yeas and nays were called, and appeared as follows:

## AFFIRMATIVE.

Parker, Dellinger, Messrs. Purnell. Farrow. Abbott, Ridgely, Greene. Annan, Schley, Hatch, Audoun, Scott. Hebb, Baker. Sneary, Hoffman, Belt, Stirling, Hopper, Brooks, Stockbridge, Kennard, Brown, Todd. Cunningham, Larsh, Valliant, Marbury, Cushing, Wickard-32. Negley, Daniel,

## NEGATIVE.

Mullikin, Hollyday, Messrs. Parran, Horsey, Carter, Jones, of Cecil, Pugh, Chambers, Russell, Keefer, Crawford, Sands, Davis, of Wash., Lee, Schlosser, McComas, Dent, Swope. Mitchell, Duvall, Wooden-24. Miller, Ecker, Galloway,

So the question upon its adoption was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Abbott submitted the following amendment:

Amend by inserting after the word "per annum," in the second line, "but such rates may be contracted for as Congress have or may herereafter allow on any loans of the United States;"

Mr. Belt submitted the following amendment:

Amend the report by substituting in lieu thereof the following:

"That the legal rate of interest in this State shall be six per centum per annum, except in cases of agreements between contracting parties; and in all such cases parties contracting shall have power to contract, and to recover any rate of interest not exceeding ten per centum per annum;"